Trade & Economic Transition DWG



Grantee



MO Division of Workforce
Development

Targeted Populations



Dislocated Workers

Funding Announcement

Training & Employment Guidance Letter (TEGL) No. 2-18

Additional DWG Resources



Trade and Economic Transition National Dislocated Worker Grants (DWG), with funding of up to \$100 million for each award, \$8 million for each individual award. This grant will enable successful applicants to address ongoing or emerging workforce and economic challenges by providing training and career services to dislocated workers seeking reentry into the workforce, and increasing their skill levels to become competitive for growing or high-demand employment opportunities.



Planned Participants Served

300



Total Award Amount

\$3,896,072



Project Service Area
Period of Award: September 2018-September 2020



Economic Transition Factors

Advanced manufacturing is a key industry of focus in the state plan. Continuing to focus on this sector will support our sector strategies in Missouri. This grant also aids in fostering Local partnerships by working with businesses and local workforce development boards.



Proposal Summary

MO's apprenticeship program provides opportunities to dislocated workers (DWs) statewide. In both advanced manufacturing and auto maintenance. Investing in training for skilled Advanced Service Technicians can also feed skills needs in the maintenance and transportation and infrastructure sectors including aviation and logistics.



- Advanced Manufacturing
- IT Services
- Automotive Technical Services



Proposed Outcome

The layoffs issued for this grant are directly related to the automotive/technology fields. Missouri thrives on manufacturing, healthcare and IT, particularly in the urban areas. These industries support Missourians and its economy. This will give the dislocated workers the necessary skills in an industry with high demand. These skills will be transferrable to other types of fields. This will launch Missourians toward a futuristic economy for these in demand skills.